

Dear Parents and Students,

I am so happy to be teaching Fifth Grade this year! One of my favorite things to do is to READ! I love sharing my favorite books and stories with my friends and family. Our summer reading novel is one of my favorite books that I actually read when I was your age!

Our summer reading novel is From the Mixed-up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler, by E. L. Konigsberg. It is about a young girl and her brother who run away from home and sleep over at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York. The book details their adventures and even a mystery that needs solving!

After you read this novel, you have two assignments you must complete. One assignment is a set of 10 questions. The other assignment is a book report page. These assignments are designed to get you thinking about the novels and its characters. Please have these assignments completed and ready to go by the first day of school. Also, please bring your novel with you so that we can spend some time with it.

If you have any questions, please email me for help. You can reach me on my school email which is ehurley@ascaalbany.org. I hope that you enjoy the novel as much as I do, and have a safe and happy summer!

Blessings,



Mrs. Hurley

10. In chapter 4, Claudia says she thinks the Angel statue looks like someone in her family. Who does Claudia think the statue looks like?

